State of California California California Horse Racing Board

Complaint and Notice to Appear CHRB - 65 (REV. 11/01)

1010 Hurley Way, Suite 300 Sacramento, CA 95825

## **COMPLAINT**

CASE NUMBER: 07HP159

The CHRB hereby files a complaint against DAVID LACROIX for violation of CHRB Rule 1843(A)

(D);1844(E) 9 &1844 (F); 1887 (A). The person named in this complaint holds a license as a TRAINER,

license number 070964. The offense alleged occurred on or about DECEMBER 1ST, 2007 and

is as follows:

THE HORSE "HAPPYHOURATTHEBRIG" TRAINED BY DAVID LA CROIX FINISHED  $2^{\rm ND}$  IN THE  $4^{\rm TH}$  RACE AT HOLLYWOOD PARK RACE TRACK ON DECEMBER  $1^{\rm ST}$ , 2007. POST RACE SAMPLE # HP03184 WAS ANALYZED BY U.C. DAVIS LAB AND WAS FOUND TO CONTAIN THE CLASS 3 DRUG "CLENBUTEROL" IN EXCESS OF THE AUTHORIZED LEVEL. THE URINE LEVEL WAS AT 15.6 NG (AUTHORIZED LEVEL 5 NG). THE BLOOD LEVEL WAS AT 61 PG (AUTHORIZED LEVEL 25 PG)

Pursuant to Business and Professions Code Section 19420, 19440, and CHRB Rules, the stewards are empowered to impose penalties for violation of any provision of the CHRB Rules. Such penalties may consist of suspension of any license, fines, and exclusion from all racing enclosures under the jurisdiction of the Board or by any combination of these penalties.

Date :JANUARY 25 <sup>TH</sup> , 2008 Complainant :CHRB	
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## NOTICE TO APPEAR

To **DAVID LA CROIX** you are hereby notified to appear before the Board of Stewards at the below listed location, date, and time.

Location: SANTA ANITA	Date: <b>FEB.17</b> <sup>TH</sup> , <b>2008</b>	Time: <b>9:30AM</b>
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You are entitled to reasonable notice of the hearing and reasonable time to prepare for the hearing. If you need additional time to prepare for the hearing, you must contact the Board of Stewards within 72 hours of receipt of this notice. All requests for a continuance must be in writing. You should be prepared to justify your request for additional time. Granting or denial of a request for additional time is within the sound discretion of the stewards. The hearing will be conducted in accordance with the GOVERNING PROCEDURES FOR HEARING BEFORE THE BOARD OF STEWARDS, a copy of which is attached to this Complaint and Notice to Appear.

Investigator	Date
	JANUARY 25 <sup>TH</sup> , 2008